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Chapter 1 summary:

While feeling annoyed with her university peers Ai-chan met Toma-san in a smoking area and they started getting along.

Chapter 2 summary:

One winter day, Tama-san missed an appointment and Ai-chan went to her house to check up on her only to find her collapsed. Fortunately, it was just sleep and food deprivation. Ai-chan acknowledged her feelings to want to get to know Tama-san better.

Chapter 3 summary:

However, Tama-san gently rejected Ai-chan's advance to get closer. Ai-chan, rejected, realized her feelings for Tama-san are love. Meanwhile, Tama-san doesn't get along with her father. And for a certain duration when Tama-san was in high school, she slept with her stepmother while her father was away.

Lastly, Shuninta is not very good at writing summaries.

★ Summary ★

Toma-san

3rd year of university?

Shrewd and wears glasses.

★ Character Introduction ★

Ai-chan

2nd year of university.

Stubborn beauty.





Foreword

Hello, this is Amano Shuinta.

The story is about university students,
but this time we're going back to high school.

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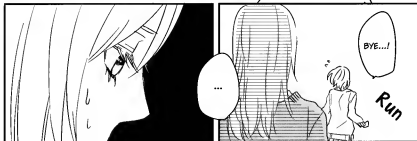
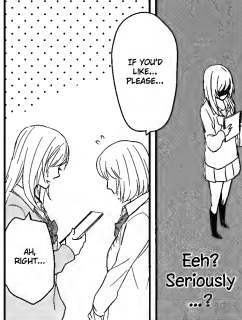


AI-SENPAI!

...LIM,
I...

I'VE
BEEN
WATCHING
YOU FOR
A LONG
TIME...

IF YOU'D
LIKE...



Sorry for asking so suddenly.

I've always been watching you, Ai-san...

I want to know you better.

But asking first is rude,
so I'll write a little about myself!!!



WHAT'CHA
GOT
THERE?

AI,
WHAT'S
UP?



She wants to know
me better, huh...

Thud



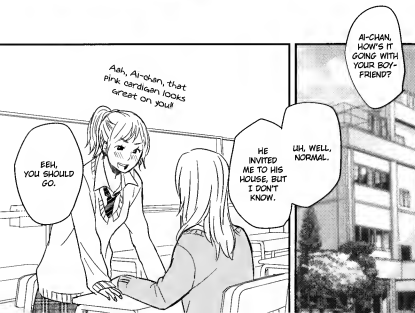
Forget it?
I was just
curious!

...
FORGET
IT.



HM?

SAY,
YOU
KNOW,
AI...
ABOUT
THIS
WEEK-
END...



Aah, Ai-chan, that
pink cardigan looks
great on you!

EEH,
YOU SHOULD
GO.

HE
INVITED
ME TO HIS
HOUSE, BUT
I DON'T
KNOW.

UH, WELL,
NORMAL..

AI-CHAN,
HOW'S IT
GOING WITH
YOUR BOY-
FRIEND?



I guess
I'll just
write
thanks.

Thank you

Still I'd feel
a bit guilty,
so whatever
I decide, it's
somewhat
of a hassle.

I could write
something
random or
nothing at all
and return it.
Or I could not
even return it.

Glowing

I'M SO
HAPPY!

WAAH,
THANK
YOU VERY
MUCH!

HERE...

Surely, not
so much
you'd cry,
right...?

The
next
day.

I received it back
with a great deal more
written inside.



And the
cover was
slightly more
decorated.





Another lackluster reply?



I VALUE YOU HIGHLY, YOU KNOW.

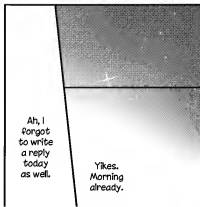
IF YOU DON'T WANT TO, IT'S ALL RIGHT.

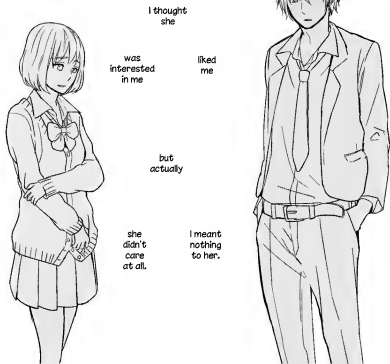


WHAT-EVER.



Are you sure you want to know?





No, they have
it backwards.

They just wanted
to get closer to me
because I'm pretty.



MY BOY-
FRIEND AND I
BROKE UP.



NOTHING
I CAN DO
ABOUT IT.

JUST 'CAUSE
HE'S COOL,
DOESN'T
MEAN WE
SHOULD
DATE.

WE
JUST
WEREN'T
A MATCH,
THAT'S
ALL.





AI-CHAN,
I DON'T SEE
WHAT THE
PROBLEM
IS, HE WAS
PERFECT
FOR YOU.

YOU?
HOW?

IF
ANYTHING,
STAYING
WITH HIM
LONGER
WOULD
TROUBLE
ME.

NO WAY,
THAT PUTS
ME IN A
TROUBLE-
SOME
SPOT...



HE'D
DEFINITELY
MAKE YOU
HAPPY.



BECAUSE...

IT'S MY
LIFE, I'LL
MAKE THE
CHOICES.

SO WHY
IS IT SUCH
A BIG DEAL
FOR YOU?

She explained it
to me like this...

Handsome
former
boyfriend

Some
guy

Sever

Friend

Ai-chen

Fwoom

ME BREAKING
UP WITH MY
BOYFRIEND
HAS NOTHING
TO DO WITH IT.

EVEN IF
HE WERE
TO CONFESS
TO ME, I'D
REJECT HIM.

OKAY,
BUT...

I DON'T
EVEN KNOW
WHO THAT
GUY IS.

AND WHAT'S
WITH WEARING
PINK AND
WHITE? YOU'RE
ACKNOWLEDGING
YOU'RE
POPULAR?

EVEN YOUR
NAME IS CUTE,
LITERALLY
TELLING
PEOPLE TO
LOVE YOU.

DAMN
IT!

IT'S
UNFAIR
HOW YOU
GET GOOD
GRADES
WHILE
BARELY
STUDYING
ON TOP
OF IT!

YOU
ALWAYS
DO THIS,
PUTTING
YOURSELF
ABOVE
OTHERS!
JUST
'CAUSE
YOU'RE
BEAUTIFUL.

...Is that what you
people think of me...?

Well I want nothing more
to do with you then.

My beauty, my personality, my
name, those aren't things I chose.
There's nothing I can do about it.

And if I like
pink and white
clothes, let me
wear them!

Aah,
this is
a waste
of time.
All of it.

...
So what
exactly was
I supposed
to do?

Try to
be less
popular?
You're
kidding,
right?

Fume



Fortunately, I've been
spared falling in love.

I don't want any of
this bullshit anymore.

And I don't see myself getting
interested in anyone in the future.

Love and relationships
just aren't for me.

I don't think I'll be a
bride, wife or mother.

So...

I want to dedicate
my life and work to
have meaning to
humanity, not to
a single person.



I decided then that I would stand
on my own for the rest of my life.



Now, working to
reach that end,
I'm in university
and it's currently
my second spring
vacation. Which
seems so very,
very long.

I should have been
kinder to everyone.

They were all just desperately
searching for someone to love.

Puff

I realize
that now.

I can't blow
rings like
Tomo-san.



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At a certain
department
store, on the
first floor.



Ah, the same
houndstooth
pattern. ♪



BUT
TOMO-SAN
IS YOUR
DAUGHTER.

Every hair
will stand
apart...

Ah, those are
voluminous

GOING
SHOPPING
WITH YOUR
DAUGHTER
IS THE
DREAM.

HOW'S
THIS
ONE?



SURE.

AH, BY THE
WAY, AI-SAN,
COULD
YOU GIVE ME
YOUR PHONE
NUMBER?

NOW
AND
THEN.

DO YOU
COME HERE
OFTEN?

THAT
SOUNDS
FAMILIAR.

I DON'T
KNOW WHAT
SHE'S UP TO.

TOMO-SAN
SOMETIMES
DOESN'T
ANSWER.

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Afterword


This time it was about Ai's post.
This Philo(sophia) chapter was originally to be released
with chapter 4, but... Hmm, hahohoh! Sorry, guys.
I don't draw as fast as I think I do.
And sorry for not having any Tomo this time.
It's okay to go, "Serves her right, lol."
Uweh, sorry, sorry...!
Until next time.



Backcover quote
from Plato's "Phaedrus."


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QC: Physis

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